

CHARITON COURIER.

C. P. VANDIVER, Editor and Proprietor.

MAN WAS MADE TO HUSTLE.

TERMS: \$1.50 Per Year In Advance.

VOLUME XXI.

KEYTESVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1892.

NUMBER 26.

Oranges at S. M. White & Co's. Only 30 cents per dozen.

Charley Winn, of Salisbury, was in town on business last Monday.

A. W. Johnson, of Salisbury, was in Keytesville on legal business Monday.

Those Mediterranean sweet oranges 30 cents per dozen. At S. M. White & Co's.

S. M. White & Co. have the cheap oranges in town. Only 30 cents per dozen.

Pete Smith, a genial bachelor near Rothville, was a visitor in our town last Friday.

Hon. T. S. Dines was shaking hands with his Keytesville friends last Friday.

We are sorry to learn that Warner Ford is quite sick with acute rheumatism, this week.

T. J. L. Hutchinson, Democracy's "stand by" of Rothville, was on our streets Saturday.

Perry S. Rader, editor of the Brunswick, was in Keytesville on business last Monday.

Miss Pualine Davis, of Brunswick, visited J. C. Wallace's family the latter part of last week.

B. F. Kyes and wife, were in town Tuesday. Mr. Kyes is a staunch Republican of the old school.

Mrs. Dr. Fowler, has been on the sick list this week. The Dr. has been trying his skill at house-keeping.

Miss Idress Head, of Fayette, who has been visiting the family of J. C. Wallace, returned home Wednesday.

W. H. Bradley and W. S. Stockwell were at the capital on business with the probate court last Friday.

Dr. Lucas of Mendon, was called to Saline county Friday of last week. An account of the sickness of his sister.

The matter for the teachers column and the border county notes were unavoidably crowded out this week.

Luther Dempsey, a prospective attorney-at-law of Padgett, and a brother to our Jim, was at the capital Friday.

The Old Settlers of Montgomery county, will hold their seventh annual reunion at New Florence August 6th. They are arranging for a grand blow out.

The world's fair voting contest boomed. Some of the leaders are getting an admirable support and several others are coming to the front.

W. A. Chapline dropped dead at his home in Slater, Saline county, Monday afternoon. Heart trouble was supposed to be the cause. He was 73 years old.

Miss Mary Caples, of Glasgow, a niece of Capt. Wallace, who has been visiting Keytesville friends and relatives for about two weeks returned home last Monday.

Thomas H. Bagnell, one of Saline county's fine stock raisers, lost a valuable colt one day last week. Mr. Bagnell had just sold him to an Illinois party for \$1500.

Messrs. Owen & Courtney, Keytesville's wide-awake millers and grain dealers, received their first invoice of new wheat last Saturday, for which they paid 62cts a bushel.

Burglars entered the hardware store of Myer & Paulmyer at Sweet-spring, Saline county, Friday night of last week and stole \$150 worth of cutlery. They left no clues behind.

The rain and wind Thursday night of last week, did much damage to the growing crops in the vicinity of Higbee, Randolph county. It blew the corn and oats down breaking off a great deal of the early corn. The corn is otherwise in fine condition and growing fast.

Robert Richey, one of Chariton county's substantial farmers while in Marceline one day last week was seriously injured by falling through a defective side walk.

E. B. Kellogg and wife came down from Sumner Sunday to visit his parents. Mrs. Kellogg remained here while Earl attended the Jefferson City convention.

James Harris, an estimable farmer living in the vicinity of Purdin, Linn county, accidentally shot himself in the knee one day last week, which will leave him a cripple for life.

Dr. Dysart, of Higbee has the smallest milch cow, in Randolph county. She is a full blooded Jersey and only about three feet and a half tall. She is about eighteen months old.

Marceline has abandoned her electric lights, and has disposed of the plant. Her citizens are now in the dark, but they are two enterprising to remain in that condition very long.

A Chariton county farmer by the name of Paxton, living in the vicinity of Mike, while returning from his field one day last week, was seriously injured by being thrown from his horse.

Miss Laura Withall, of Moberly, formerly of Glasgow, has written a book of charming poetry. She hopes to have it before the public in a short time, as it is now in press at St. Louis.

W. S. Holmes, a prosperous farmer living a few miles south of Marshall, Saline county, had six head of valuable horses killed on Wednesday of last week, by the same stroke of lightning.

The citizens of Linneus gave Judge Burgess a rousing reception on his return from the St. Louis convention, where he was nominated as one of the Judges of the supreme court.

Mrs. Minnie Haas, the wife of A. Haas, one of the leading merchants of Marceline, fell dead while conversing with her family Wednesday morning of last week, in the 45th year of her age.

A couple of men by the names of Wood and Ryder, engaged in a shooting scrap at Blackburn, Sunday afternoon of last week, which resulted in Ryder getting shot in the face with a revolver.

The body of Charles Olesen, the Swedish miner drowned in the river at Lexington, Lafayette county, Thursday evening of last week, was found Monday afternoon at Glasgow, 150 miles below there.

C. B. Ford, of Marceline, has just returned from a trip to Tennessee, where he had accompanied the remains of J. A. Snoddy, a brakeman, who was killed in a wreck on the Santa Fe railway some time ago.

A little 3-year-old son of Andy Barton of Clifton Hill was bitten by a rattlesnake, Tuesday afternoon of last week. Antidotes were administered and the little fellow was getting along very well at last accounts.

Dr. J. A. Quarrels, of Lexington, Virginia, was in Booneville, the home of his childhood, last week. The Doctor is well known throughout central Missouri, as a learned and able minister of the Presbyterian church.

W. F. Ferguson, living a few miles southeast of Salisbury, received a severe injury by having one of his hands caught in a threshing machine. The wound though severe and painful will not result in the loss of his hand.

Joe Hansmann, R. D. Edwards, A. F. Tooley, O. B. Anderson, J. C. Crawley, C. B. Crawley, W. W. Rucker, Seth Singleton and Senator Mackay attended the Jefferson City convention, from Keytesville. J. C. Crawley and Seth Singleton attended as delegates; Senator Mackay as candidate; and the rest as spectators.

John W. Harman, until recently state grain inspector at St. Joseph and Kansas City, died Sunday night. He was 40 years old and had resided in Missouri thirty years. He had been ill for several months.

J. E. Kertis, a miner working in the coal mines near Roanoke, Howard county, was seriously injured one day last week, by the premature discharge of a blast of powder. He may survive, but it was doubtful at last accounts.

Patt Dysert, of Saline City, Saline county, was riding his children in a boat on the Missouri river one day last week, when a fish weighing several pounds jumped into the boat, and was taken home and consigned to the larder.

Geo. P. Williams, the messenger who was in charge of the Pacific Express Co's. car that was robbed at Adair, I. T., Thursday night of last week, by the Dalton gang, has been suspended pending investigation by the company.

Michael Doyle, a prominent Irishman, who has figured conspicuously in the local politics of St. Joseph, was found dead in an empty coal office Monday morning. He went in to sleep off the effects of liquor and was suffocated by escaping gas.

Charles Adkins, a huxster, of Macon City, while returning from Bynumville to that city one day last week, with a load of poultry and eggs, drove into a swollen stream, and lost his valuable cargo, and came near drowning himself and team.

H. C. Hamilton, in the vicinity of Norborne, Howard county, planted a field of corn, last week, from which he had recently harvested a magnificent yield of wheat. There is nothing strange about this, you know for any thing is possible in Carroll county.

The police of Chillicothe, had a lively time last week running down the crap-shooting fraternity of that city. A dozen or more were gathered up, among them the boss marksman of the gang, and all taken before the recorder and dressed up in good style.

Monroe county has decided to give \$300, per mile towards the building of rock roads in that county. That disposition is worthy of imitation, and we are in hopes the county court in Chariton county will take some action looking to better roads in this county.

Dr. J. McGuire, formerly of Brunswick but now of De Witt, Carroll county, was arrested Thursday morning of last week, on a charge of common assault, and taken before a justice of the peace when he was tried by a jury and sentenced for ten days to the county jail.

Eleven-year-old Ernest McGinnis, of Nevada, Vernon county, while bathing in Sulphur lake Tuesday afternoon, slipped off a raft into deep water and was drowned. The body had not been recovered at last accounts though fifty men had been dragging the lake for hours.

Augustus Caldwell, aged 15, stepson of A. P. Masterson, of Ashburne, Pike county, was drowned at South Ford, on Salt river, Monday afternoon. After a game of base ball between the Saverton and Ashburne clubs an adjournment was taken to the river for a swim, with the result as above.

Last Monday while Bob Trent was delivering goods in the western part of town, the wagon tongue came down, which scared the team. They got away from the driver and did not stop until they ran into the deep ditch north of Mrs. Grinstead's, which threw one of the horses. The horse was gotten out of the ditch all right, no damage being done except the tongue being broken out of the wagon and the harness considerably dilapidated.

Things were enlivened around the court-house last Friday. The county officials have certain rules by which they are governed and whoever has temerity to violate any of the rules, is promptly arraigned before Judge Crews and punished according to the mandate of the court which is always a whipping of some kind. The severity of which is determined by the nature of the offense. Several of the town boys, and others, have fallen victims to Judge Crews iron rule. Last Friday morning J. A. Collet went to the court-house and charges were promptly "referred" against him. Collet broke custody, and escaped without punishment. He proceeded, however, to organizing a force which went back to the court-house and whipped every thing "in sight." Several of the boys have since paid the penalty for trying to overthrow Judge Crews' court. This court is different from most courts; the punishment is always administered and received in the best of humor.

Base Ball
Next Wednesday the Glasgow ball team will come to Keytesville to play the Black Stockings another game. Keytesville has crossed bats with Glasgow twice, once here and once in Glasgow, each winning on its own ground. Next Wednesday will be the crucial test, and of course Keytesville will win, for our boys can and will play when it is necessary. The Keytesville team will play in the following positions:
Moore, catcher
Hansman, pitcher
Emmett DeMoss, short-stop
Taylor, 1st base
White, 2nd base
Ed DeMoss, 3rd base
Rucker, center field
Owens, left
Edwards, right

Every body is invited to come and see one of the best ball games of the season.

Dr. Foy would reflect credit upon any university as its president, or as a member of its faculty. I heard him teach a class in Latin while visiting the Academy, and I remarked to a director; "I do not remember ever to have heard better teaching." I was impressed, too, by Prof. Martin's facility in teaching Algebra. He is a young man of solid parts and acquirements. Miss Britt is a lady of vigorous mind and lovely character. I suggested Dr. Foy's name to the board of directors when they were looking around for a superintendent. He is scholarly, energetic and pure, and the school is eminently worthy of respect and patronage in the line of the work it aspires to do. Prof. J. S. Blackwell, P. H. D., chairman Faculty, University Mo.

The Press-Spectator is in error when it says: "Prof. Sanford, one of the best educators in the state," will conduct the Chariton county Institute this summer. Prof. Sanford is not an educator of this state but of Iowa. Neither have his services been secured to conduct the institute. He has only been engaged to lecture for the institute twice. Our county school commissioner, Prof. J. P. Coleman, will conduct the institute. Chariton county don't have to import educators. The conductor and all the instructors are of this county, and we have enough left to supply another county or two.

Capt. Wm. N. Eads, of Carrollton was in Keytesville on business Tuesday. Capt. Eads is a son of Rev. Martin L. Eads, a prominent Methodist divine of this county before the war. Capt. Eads was born and raised to manhood, and married in our county, went from here to Carrollton where he established a splendid reputation as a lawyer. His ambition led him to New Mexico where he remained for some time, but finally concluding that Missouri is the garden spot of the world, he returned to Carrollton and settled, perhaps, for the remainder of his life.

Try one dozen of those Mediterranean sweet oranges at S. M. White & Co's. Only 30 cents per dozen.

SALES, BEDS, Picture Mouldings, Etc.

J. C. Rucker. FURNITURE!

LOUNGES, MATTRESSES, MATTING, WARDROBES, ETC.

Which we will offer our customers at the LOWEST CASH RATES. We have the White, New Home and Edredge B Sewing Machines, which

Cut this out, fill in and send to the COURIER.

The shipment of live stock from Salisbury last week consisted of a carload of cattle by John Wack, and a couple of car loads of cattle and hogs by A. A. Cloyd.

The Moberly fair grounds are being thoroughly renovated. The improvements are of a substantial character, and will be completed in ample time for the approaching fair.

E. T. Miller, J. D. Sharp, R. C. Ford, W. H. Fordyce, J. T. Binford, H. Sentenne, A. Darrell, and D. B. Kellogg jr, attended the Knights of Pythias lodge at Salisbury Monday night.

Fred Reppenburger, a farmer in the vicinity of Salisbury, has a thorough Norman filly only two years old that tips the beam at 1220 pounds. The animal is said to be a beauty.

An old man 79 years of age living in Nodaway county, Mo., plowed his own land this spring with a horse, 29 years old, which was born on this same farm, and has worked it, with the old man, ever since.

The citizens of Salisbury are an enterprising and progressive people. Their educational facilities is an evidence of this fact. Parents having children to educate would do well to locate in that community.

Judge Newbold's court at Salisbury was more than usually interesting last week. Several cases of importance were heard and disposed of during the week. Several attorneys from neighboring towns were in attendance.

The voting contest carried on by the Press-Spectator was submitted to a committee with instructions to count the votes cast for the contestants and arrange them in the order in which their respective votes place them.

Fayette will be crowded with school teachers next week. The third annual session of Howard county's teachers' Institute opens there Monday, July 25 and continues till August 19. A good program has been prepared and an interesting session is anticipated.

Two Rich Hill, miners Bates county were entombed for 48 hours in Hines brother's slope mine by an invasion of water last week. By bailing and pumping all one night the water was lowered ten inches and the men escaped by wading through water to their chins.

Frank James is on his way to Spain for a summer of sight-seeing and to purchase some stock for his Texas ranch. He will return via London, and he ought to be accorded a handsome reception in the British metropolis, where, next to Buffalo Bill, he is regarded as the greatest American of the age.

Judge McLain, whose death occurred at Union Star, on Saturday of last week was far many years president of the Farmers' bank at Savannah, Andrew county, and had lost in defending that institution against robbers. On May 29th, 1889, the bank failed and there were no resources. Judge McLain was convicted of having received deposits when he knew the bank was insolvent and sentenced to two year in the penitentiary. His time expired last month, and he returned to his neighborhood.

How They Stand.
The following is the result of the COURIER world's fair voting contest for the week ending July 22d:

Miss Anne Grinstead, Keytesville,
Miss Cora Smutz, Brunswick.
Miss Karleen Coleman, Salisbury.
Miss Lizzie Burrus, Triplett.
Miss Lula Hurt, Shannondale.
Miss Jennie Cock, Keytesville.
Miss Berta Waugh, Rothville.
Miss Willie Davis, Craneville.
Miss Kate Dewey, Keytesville.
Miss Segie Hutchinson, Rothville.
Miss Bert Kellogg, Keytesville.
Miss Minnie Leonard, Shannondale.
Miss Lucy White, Keytesville.
Miss Mattie Courtney, Keytesville.
Miss Anna Bowman, Brunswick.
Miss Maggie Crockett, Triplett.
Miss Eva Hoyle, Salisbury.
Miss Mand Vaughan, Rothville.
Miss Anna McLaughlin, Westville.
Miss Ada Hayes, Forest Green.
Miss Ella Myer, Shannondale.
Miss Lutie Dameron, Prairie Hill.
Miss Kate Richardson, Salisbury.
Miss Ada Lamb, Mendon.
Miss Lula Long, Rothville.
Miss Maggie Redding, Keytesville.
Miss Mary Bennett, Keytesville.
Miss Marion Lawhorn, Forest Green.

At a convention of assessors for Carroll county, met at Carrollton last week, and adopted the following rates of assessment:

Average mule.....	\$50.00
2-year old ".....	\$25.00
1 " ".....	\$20.00
Average mare and colt.....	\$45.00
Average horse.....	\$40.00
2-year-old horse.....	\$25.00
1 " ".....	\$20.00
2 and 3 year old steers.....	\$20 to \$30
2 year old stockers.....	\$12.00
1 " ".....	\$8.00
Cow and calf assessed as one	\$10.00
2-year-old heifers.....	\$8.00
1 " ".....	\$5.00
Sheep, per head.....	\$2.50
Hog, per pound.....	\$.02
Old corn, per bushel.....	\$.20
" wheat ".....	\$.30

Blooded animals to be assessed according to their value independent of the above list.

Captain J. J. Kinney, chief of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas secret services, left Sedalia, Monday night for Muskogee, I. T., to make another effort to raise a posse for the pursuit of the Dalton gang of outlaws who held up the express train at Adair, I. T., Thursday night of last week. Information was received here today that a cattleman came upon the gang who were in camp yesterday near Proyor creek. They numbered twenty-two. They are utterly devoid of fear of pursuit and sent their regards to the United States marshal at Muskogee.

Frank Burch, a negro of Brunswick, came over to Keytesville last Tuesday, and got drunk and wanted to fight some body. Marshall Veatch arrested him and lodged him in the calaboose to remain until sober. Friday morning he was arraigned before mayor Scott, he pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk and disorderly paid his fine, which with the costs amounted to about \$6, and went his way a happy coon.

A premature infant born to the wife of Jeff Chapman, col., last Monday morning, only lived a few hours.

Ladies, for keen cutting scissors, buy the Slausse scissors. Sold only by W. D. Vaughan.